

S E C R E T

MISSION BACKGROUND ON C325C & C335C

1. Mission C335C, flown 27 May 1965, covered targets in South China, penetrating the mainland near Canton and exiting in the vicinity of Swatow. The targets covered by this mission, and C325C, are shown in the attachment. The weather was unusually good enroute, as a result of Typhoon AMY, which was passing off the east coast of China at the time.

2. The pilot reported seeing occasional con-trails while over the mainland, but stated he did not see any attempted intercepts on this mission. The con-trails were assumed to be fighters.

3. The mission was 1,963 nautical miles in length and lasted 4 hours and 42 minutes. The U-2 was over the Red China mainland for 2 hours and 21 minutes.

4. Mission C325C was flown on 28 May 1965 to cover targets along the coast opposite Taiwan.

5. The pilot reported no unusual events or intercept attempts sighted. The mission was relatively short and was over Communist China for one hour and nine minutes.

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